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TOWNSEND HOPE HELD TO ANSWER IN SUPERIOR COURT ON RAPE CHARGE

STORY HOUR AT LIBRARY DRAWS 43 HAPPY YOUTHS

Adults Are To Stay Away During Hour, To Free Main Floor

So popular are the weekly story hours, that the small upstairs room cannot accommodate the forty-three enthusiastic youngsters who turned out last Monday. Temporarily, the story hour will be held downstairs and adults are asked not to come to the Library between 2:30 and 3:00 Monday afternoons.

What will be done, if the present enthusiasm lasts, is open to question, according to Mrs. Roland Bendle, the storyteller.

SHOWS EVERY DAY IS NEW POLICY AT NILES THEATER

Officially, Greater Movie Season starts at the Niles Theatre on Monday, October 1, when the new policy of a picture a night, with 5 changes a week takes effect. Actually though, it starts the Saturday and Sunday before with "The Patent Leather Kid." Richard Barthelmess, as the cynical selfish prize fighter, who wouldn't stand up for his flag when he could, yet, later, when he was crippled in defense of that flag, loved it enough to conquer his body, wins an audience's love throughout. It is a story of regeneration; of how things bigger than he, the love of a woman, and the defense of his country change a man's soul.

Little Mollie O'Day, who plays his sweetheart, gives a lighter touch, and comedy parts save the picture from any suspicion of goody-goody preaching.

Tonight's picture, is a double bill; a comedy "The Vamping Venus" starring Charles Murray, and an action picture, "The Bandit's Son," with Bob Steele.

Saturday, too, there will be a double bill, "Sea Prowlers" and "The Cheeky Kid," with Tom Tyler.

After the first of October the new starting time will be 7:00 p. m. evenings, and three shows Sundays; 2:15, 6:15 and 8:15.

HOLLISTER WINS BY 27-6 IN HARD FOUGHT CONTEST

Playing a hard-fought game, the Washington Cornhuskers were defeated by Hollister last Saturday by a score of 27-6. Even though the team did some good playing, they had to give way to the Hollister men, who showed some decided improvements since last year.

COMING EVENTS CAST THEIR SHADOWS BEFORE

REGISTER'S FRATERNAL, SOCIAL
AND AMUSEMENT CALENDAR

Every Monday 2:30 Children's Story Hour, Niles Library, Free.
Sept. 28—St. Edward's benefit Whist, Newark school 8:00 p. m.
Sept. 28—Women's Civic Club.
Oct. 4—Child Welfare Board, Library, 10 A. M.
Oct. 11—Friendly Club at Mrs. James Whipple's, 10 A. M.
Oct. 9—Men's Club Dinner Congregational Church 6:30.
Oct. 10—E. S. Meeting, Centerville Masonic Hall.
Oct. 13—Child Welfare Card Party at Country Club.
Oct. 25—Whist Party, Niles Fire Department, I. O. O. F. Hall.

NEW FIRE TRUCK GOES IN SERVICE AT ALVARADO

Fifth In Township To Be Organized; 7 Trucks Available

The new fire truck at Alvarado was put into commission last week, as a part of Washington Township fire fighting force. It is the fifth motor equipped department to be organized.

The other four towns are Centerville, Newark, Niles, and Decoto. Niles and Centerville each have two trucks, making seven in all at the disposal of the township.

Major Charles Overacker Married With Military Ceremony In East

Major Charles Overacker was married on September 4 at Mitchell Field to an eastern girl, with a full military wedding. Although Major Overacker has been in the east for the last five years, he is a Californian, and grew up in Washington Township, where his family has been prominent since earliest settlement of the community. He graduated from

KRAFT, JRS., LEFT WAITING; NEWARK TEAM STAYS AWAY

Whether they feared a licking, or it was just a matter of a mistake in the schedule, is not known, but the Newark team, which was to play the Niles Kraft Juniors last week, failed to turn up. Moreover, the same thing happened to the Girls' team. Both teams felt rather like a bride, left waiting at the church, though the girls consoled themselves with a scrub game.

This Sunday the Newark team is scheduled to play Centerville, and Niles is watching to see if they turn up. If they do, it will seem that they feared us but did not fear Centerville.

Washington Union High School, and then from the University of California, where his sister Carol is now in attendance. She is on the staff of the Daily Californian there.

Major Overacker expects to be transferred as an instructor to Mills field, in Southern California in the near future, and will, of course, bring his bride with him.

NEW BABY

Robert Arthur Joseph was born at the Silva Maternity Home on September 21. He is the son of Mr. and Mrs. J. Joseph, of Hayward. He weighed 7 pounds, 12 ounces. Mother and child are doing well.

DECOTO FIRE DEPT. TURNS OUT FOR 2 CALLS IN WEEK

The Decoto fire department was called out Friday evening to fight a spectacular fire on the property of Ben Moreira, situated on the top of a hill near Valley Vista.

When the Fire Department arrived, several sheds and out-houses were on fire, and a two-story frame residence was threatened. The fire, however, was checked before it was involved.

Members of Boy Scout Troop No. 1, of Decoto gave considerable aid, by carrying water, and assisting the firemen in stretching hose lines.

On Tuesday, Sept. 24, the fire department was again called out; this time to a grass fire, at 7th and H streets, on the property of M. S. Silva.

LEGION PLANS FOR ARMISTICE DANCE AT GARDEN ALLAH

The regular meeting of the Washington Township Post 195 of the American Legion, Tuesday evening, was devoted to plans for the Armistice day dance and banquet, which will be held at the "Garden of Allah," if it is obtainable.

On October 19, the Post will stage its annual entertainment at the Livermore Veteran's Hospital.

Because the Men's club dinner falls on the next Legion's regular meeting night, the meeting will be held Wednesday, October 10, at the Niles Grammar school auditorium. Many important things are scheduled to be taken up, that night, and a large attendance is desired.

Department Commander Pearson was a visitor at the Post meeting, Tuesday night.

Niles Young Couple Wed in Richmond

Peter Quartrolli and Sophia Guer-ville, both of Niles, were married last Saturday in Richmond at the Catholic Church.

Both parties are well known locally, and come of old families. Mr. Quartrolli is employed by the County road department. Mrs. Quartrolli worked at the Trinchero Grocery.

They left for the Northern part of the State, where they will spend a ten day honeymoon.

LOCAL NEWS NOTES

Mrs. R. H. Hunt entertained at a bridge luncheon Thursday.

H. B. Rathbun left Tuesday for the Fire Chief's convention in Marysville. He will be gone a week.

Register for better printing.

THREE DIE WHEN AUTO BURNS ANOTHER INJURED AS GAS TANK EXPLODES

It was feared at first that Bob Callaghan, the only survivor of the Livermore Hetch-Hetchy construction truck tragedy, last Friday would have to lose both hands as a result of the severe burns he received. However, later reports from St. Paul's hospital give the reassuring information that he is getting along nicely, and will probably be well in about two weeks.

Three men were burned to death when the truck caught fire late Friday afternoon, twenty miles from Livermore on the way to the Indian Creek camp of the P. G. and E.

The three who died are Neil Lane, 33, living with his sister, Hannah Henno, at 20 Herald street, Oakland; Edward Gassiot, 45, a married man with a family, of Livermore, and Pete Navares, 43, single, also of Livermore.

It seems the men noticed a brush fire on the road, and got out to fight it. In their efforts, they did not notice that their truck had caught fire. The tank exploded, and injured them.

They were found on the road by three men who were passing, A. Virara, A. Moffa and Frank Vialdi. All of them were alive, and were rushed to Dr. Paul E. Dolan, who in turn rushed them to St. Paul's hospital, Livermore, where three died early Saturday morning.

Although two of the men gave Livermore addresses, all three bodies were sent to Oakland for burial.

Auto Salesman Robbed at Point of Pistol After Forced Ride

George Rull, salesman for the Stebbins Agency at Hayward, was taken into Niles canyon and robbed at the point of a gun, Monday morning.

He was on his way to Niles, when, just as he was passing the Masonic home, a man stepped out from the road side and held out his hand, as though he were looking for a lift. Rull stopped. The man took out a pistol, and holding it at Rull's stomach, told him to drive on, or he would shoot him full of day.

The case has been turned over to the sheriff's office.

NILES WOMAN WINS THREE PRIZES IN GARDEN CLUB SHOW

Mrs. J. G. Gomes, of Niles won three prizes at the Hayward Garden Club flower show, according to the notification she received last Friday.

She scored first prize on her French marigolds, second on her Asters, and first on her Zinnias.

"The thing that made it so thrilling," she said, "was that I'd never entered any flowers in a show before. The show was so beautiful, that I thought my flowers quite outclassed. I did not really expect any prize, and so you can imagine how thrilled I am to get three.

Young Couple to Make Their Home in Niles

Young Mr. and Mrs. Edward Oliveras returned to Niles after their honeymoon just in time for chicken dinner given by his mother. There were over fifty at the table.

The young couple had been royally entertained in Modesto and Chowchilla. Three dances had been given for them, at which Chamarita, a Portuguese round dance, was performed. The dinner capped the climax of the festivities, and now they are ready to settle down in Niles.

"Master and Wardens" Dinner at Livermore Tuesday night was well attended, several of the "Brothers" being present from this locality.

Octavian Vieux Returns From Three Months Trip

OCTAVIAN VIEUX returned to Niles last week, after a three months' tour of France. Although Mr. Vieux is a native of that country, he had been away 45 years, without going back. He spent most of his time at his old home town, Gaps, which is near St. Bonnette, in the Department of Champs Sur, in Eastern France.

Partly, the long stay in Gaps was accidental. It seems that Vieux took a bunny ride. The horse shied and started to run away. Alarmed, Mr. Vieux jumped, and landing on some rocks, injuring his knees severely enough to make two weeks in the hospital necessary.

Aside from this unfortunate accident, Mr. Vieux enjoyed the trip. Some of his relatives are still living in Gaps. He was much impressed, too, by the difference in accommodations on ships and trains from those he knew when he came to America. Mr. Vieux is nearly 70, and doubts if he could have made the trip alone at that age, if it were not for modern conveniences and comforts.

SERMON

By Reverend Seebart
Niles Community Church

"The Value of the Church to the Community"

Text: "Upon this rock will I build my church and the gates of hell shall not prevail against it."

We become so accustomed to having the influence of the church in the Community that we fail to fully appreciate how essential it is. I do not know of any better theme to discuss with you on this Rallying Day of the church's people and forces than the value of the Church to the Community. We need to be reminded frequently of the importance and significance of what we are doing or our spiritual vision fails us and, "Where there is no vision the people perish." It is my hope and prayer that this discussion may lead all of us to new zeal and renewed activity in church life for there is much that needs to be done.

Speaking generally, the church contributes at least four distinct things to the primary life of the Community. It is only when all four of these values are realized that the church really becomes an indispensable institution in the life of the people. These values are; listing them from the least important to the most important; the economic, the social, the educational and the spiritual.

The Economic Value of the Church

Perhaps you have never thought of it in just this light but the Church does have an economic value. And sometimes, unconsciously, we over-emphasize its economic value to the detriment of the other values. Thus it comes about that occasionally we find a person who links himself with the church because he hopes thereby to increase his business and further his own selfish interests. But after all these are exceptional cases and not the rule as critics of the church have often implied. Furthermore it is not long until the hypocrisy of such persons is revealed and their little "game" is blocked. But taken all together, there are fewer such in the church than in the lodges, clubs and similar organizations.

We have been discussing the use of the church in an illegitimate economic way. There is however, a legitimate economic church value which may be ethically used and constitute a real asset to any community. A chamber of commerce or an advertising club may justifiably point out to prospective buyers and settlers, the fact of the church's presence and influence in the community providing it is a church which they value and in which they take an honest pride.

It is not a reflection upon the character and value of a church for those who support it and believe in it to say to a prospective resident of his community, "We have an active and influential church in our community to which we invite you and your children that you may be blessed spiritually as well as economically."

The most worthwhile people of any community are the church people, the christian people, and if it is that class of people which is desired as new residents of the community the church may be cited as one of the evidences in the community that there is an economic value here which invites the consideration of the prospective citizen.

It is a well established fact that the type of new residents we want—the kind that will help to make the community a refined and prosperous place to live in,—are those very people who will desire for their children and themselves, a place of worship, social interchanges and education. But we have been finding out, by costly experience, that those who care nothing whatever about the church belong to that class of citizens who are the very least desirable element in the community. They are lawless, unprogressive, cynical, selfish and unequal to the privileges which are theirs.

Show me a community where the church building and organization are neglected and dilapidated, where services are irregular and uninteresting, where there is no provision for the religious education and training of children and youth and I will show you a community that is backward, ingrown, inbred, torn by strife and jealousy dominated by bickering and hatred. Show me a place where the church is not functioning or functioning but very inadequately

and I will show you a community where the most desirable and the most prosperous citizens are constantly moving out and being replaced by the less desirable. The church has a very distinctive and a very large economic value to a community. And if a community desires prosperity and growth the first thing it should turn its attention to is the establishment of a strong and effective church. I know a man who paid \$15 more per acre for his land in a church community than he would need to have paid for better land, three miles away in an unchurched community. I can name for you men who are staying in this community right now because of the influence our church is having upon his children.

The Social Value of the Church

Every church has a distinctive social value that it ought to render to the community. I am afraid that we, along with many other churches, have not done our full share in that respect. But we are doing better and before long I hope we may take

our rightful place. Too many churches are closed up all week when they ought to be open all week. We should make our church the center of a fine cultural, helpful social life of the very highest type. We should not permit such agencies as the movie house, the dance hall, the pool hall, the country club house and the card party to monopolize the social life of our community. We are losing a great opportunity for character building and the improvement of both individual and collective life when we lose control of the social life of our people. What chance have we, for instance, to cast a determining influence on the life of our people when they are under the roof of the church but two or three hours a week?

Our children, our youth, our adults, crave social life and recreation. At present there is practically no other way for them to turn but to commercialized amusement and recreation.

And about all that we have done

when they turned elsewhere for their social and recreational life was to say "don't."—We tell them, "don't go to public dances," "don't attend sensuous movies," "don't go jazzing around in autos," "don't pet and act silly," "don't do this" and "don't do that" is dinned into their ears until they revolt and do the very thing they know they ought not do. Can we blame them when the church has made so little effort to encourage and provide a helpful, moral, interesting and stimulating social life? If we do not want to turn our people over to commercialized forms of social and recreational life—run by people who think chiefly of the dollar and almost nothing of character, we must see to it that the church makes its distinctive contribution in social values.

I am glad to say that this church has been doing more and more to fulfill its social obligation to the community. I hope the time will come when we can have "family night" twice a month instead of once a month. I hope that this winter we may have semi-social and religious gatherings Sunday evenings. I hope that this year some of you people will open up your homes to the members and friends of this church, inviting them in—not to sit around card tables with bull-dog looks on their faces while they enviously eye the prize and covet it for themselves—but to play together, visit together, sing together and lunch together. Such things will work marvels in the fulfillment of

our social duty to the community of which we are a part.

The Educational Value of the Church
No one can measure nor determine the educational value which any church renders to its community. Nevertheless we know that there is a constant, determining influence flowing from every church much as power flows from the power plant. We cannot see it and we have no meter to measure it, as one does electricity, but we know it is there because we feel it and we note its results. Education is life and insofar as the church is providing for its constituency and community the experiences of life, on its higher levels, it contributes an indispensable value to the community. The Church School, for instance, is the only distinctive agency in our present social system that is devoting itself exclusively to the valuable program of character building. Ineffective and inefficient as it is, by both time and resources, as it is, the Church School still remains the only social agency that is attempting to give the child a religious education.

I have been reading this past week a very interesting and illuminating book by Professor Kilpatrick, of Columbia University, on the subject of "Changes in Modern Education." (This is not the exact title but its substance). He presents therein a very convincing plea for the necessity of advance in moral education and character training

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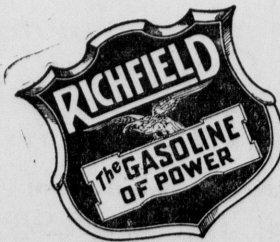
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Decoto Department

By ORVILLE BLOSE.

The Decoto people were very sorry
to see the Copelands move to Salt
Lake City last week. During the
past year P. L. Copeland was the
Southern Pacific agent here. Mrs.
Copeland was the secretary-treasurer
of the Mothers' Club.

Mr. and Mrs. P. R. Witt, of Tolino,
Solano county, are now residents of
Decoto. Mr. Witt is the new station
agent here.

Mrs. A. A. Amaral gave a farewell
party to P. L. Copeland and family
Saturday evening.

At the last meeting of the Moth-
ers' Club Mrs. Charles Blose was
elected secretary-treasurer.

A member of the Oakland Fish-
ermen's Club will speak Sunday
evening at 7 p. m. at the Commu-
nity church. The goals of Rally Day
were broken by the Sunday School,
but not by the Christian Endeavor.
The attendance was 29 and 25 re-
spectively.

Mrs. P. A. Swanson spent Sunday
in Sacramento.

Decoto Boy Scouts have a lively
meeting Friday night. Pete De-
coto will be the Scoutmaster again
this year. The boys assisted in put-
ting out the fire in the hills last
week. They are planning a hike for
next Saturday.

ALVARADO
(By Mrs. F. W. Joyce)

There was considerable excite-
ment in Alvarado this week, when
several places were raided by the
prohibition agents, and three own-
ers of soft drink parlors arrested.

Mrs. Earl Hellwig entertained the
Junior Bridge Club on Thursday,
and had an extra table of guests.
Mrs. Jensen won the prize of two
dollars given by the club.

Miss Rosaline Joyce has been ill
for a few days but hopes to be back
in school this week.

Mr. George Harvey, Miss Ruby
Joyce, Miss Jeanette Richmond, and
Mr. Kenneth Woolsey, attended the
performance of "The Dove" at the
Fulton Theatre this week.

The senior Bridge Club met with
Mrs. McCarthy, who entertained at
the Elks Club in Oakland last Sat-
urday. Mrs. Robie and Mrs. Emma
Hellwig won the prizes.

Mrs. Andrew Bogan has been quite
ill with tonsillitis, but is improving.

Mr. Ed. Harvey and Mr. J. Mor-
gan left on a fishing trip. Mrs.
Morgan is staying with Mrs. Harvey.

IRVINGTON

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Thompson,
of Turlock, were visitors for a few
days at the home of Mrs. Thomp-
son's mother, Mrs. W. Z. Foster.

Mrs. Frances H. Anderson was a
visitor in Irvington Sunday. She was
accompanied by her brother-in-law
and his wife, Mr. and Mrs. Bowers,
of Palo Alto.

Miss Stubbs was a guest of Miss
Ethel Andeson over the week-end.

**REPUBLICAN WAR
VETERAN LEAGUE
FOR HAYWARD**

Formation of a Hayward branch of
the Republican War Veterans' Le-
ague has been announced here,
with Capt. Clyde Voorhees as presi-
dent, and A. N. Kesterson secretary.

**PLEASANTON HIGH
STUDENTS DECIDE
ON SCHOOL RINGS**

Members of the Pleasanton High de-
partment met at the fire hall last
week and decided to ask Fire Chief
William H. Graam, head of the de-
partment, to appoint a committee of
five members to take steps toward
constructing a new firehouse. The
committee will take up with the
city council the matter of calling a
bond election. It is thought probable
that a call for \$10,000 worth of
bonds will be asked.

**RELIEF FROM CURSE
OF CONSTIPATION**

A Battle Creek physician says,
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misery than any other cause."
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derlies has been discovered. This
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**PLEASANTON Mother's Club
Meets September 26**

Members of the Pleasanton Moth-
ers' club held a meeting yesterday
in the city hall. Mrs. Robert Dana,
an out-of-town speaker, addressed
the gathering.

**PIONEER WOMAN
DIES AT AVISO
IN HER 87 YEAR**

Mrs. Mariana Martin, aged 87, a
resident of Alviso district died at
her home Thursday, September 20,
following an illness which her ad-
vanced age could not overcome.
She was an aunt of Deputy Coun-
ty Assessor, Emanuel George, and
had resided here since 1861.
Members of her family surviving
her are a son, George P. Martin, and
daughters, Miss Mariana Martin,
Mrs. Mary Fontes Vargario, of Cen-
terville, and Mrs. Emily Rogers, of
San Leandro. A sister, Mrs. S. Silva,
lives at Santa Cruz.
The funeral was held Friday
morning from Holy Ghost church,
with interment in Centerville ceme-
tery.

**Irvington Chamber To
Meet on October 2**

The Irvington Chamber of Com-
merce will meet Tuesday, October
2, when nominations of new officers
will be made. An outline of the
body's work for the fall and winter
will also be made, according to an-
nouncement made by president R. J.
Wright.

I. Richards, the tower maintainer,
has been ill this week.

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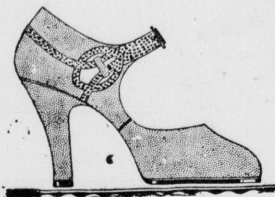
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PERSONALS

A card has been received from
Mrs. G. E. Ferry, from New
Mexico, where they are passing
through on their way East. They
are well and enjoying themselves.

E. A. Harrison, of Centerville, has
been engaged to re-decorate the old
Tyson home, by the Child Welfare
Club.

On September 19, Coach Regli
went to Alameda to represent Wash-
ington High School at the Alameda
County Athletic League.

Fred Chateney, of the Mutual
Store, sent in his resignation yester-

day, in order to accept a position
as manager of one of the "Stop and
Shop" stores in Oakland. His branch
is located in the new Capwell
store building, and represents an ad-
vance over his former position.

Barney Bragg, who covers the
Centerville route for Hellwig and
Lagrange, has been ill this week, and
his place is being taken by A. Bell-
ini.

Mrs. Ruth Henry, of Sunol, visited
the third and fourth grades of the
Niles Grammar School Monday.

Mr. Harold B. Shoemaker, princi-
pal of the Pleasanton Grammar
School, with his assistant, Mr. John
Hansen, visited the Niles school last
Wednesday, on their annual visiting
day.

The receiving class of the Niles
grammar school boasts thirty en-
trants this year. The class is or-
ganized to bring up retardation, and
has been found very effective.

Dr. Charley C. Gill, of the South-
ern Pacific Hospital, in San Fran-
cisco, came out to see his grand-
father, C. H. Chute, of Bayview
ranch, Tuesday. Mr. Chute had been
ailing, so the visit was professional
as well. Dr. Gill finds Mr. Chute
recovering nicely.

P. R. Witt has just been made

TOYON BRANCH OF BABY HOSPITAL VISITS OAKLAND

Selects Room to Furnish
After Inspection Tour
of Building

Mrs. James Whipple was hostess
to fifteen members of the Toyon
Branch of the baby hospital, at a
luncheon at her home, last Mon-
day. After lunch, ten members went
to Oakland to inspect the new hospi-
tal, and select a room that the
Toyon branch is furnishing. They
chose room No. 230, which is op-
posite a sun-parlor. It contains two
beds for children, and one for a
mother, who, under certain circum-
stances may stay there.

The cost of the room is \$500 and
the Toyon Branch has two years to
pay it off. With twenty-five mem-
bers, and the expense of the build-
ing fund, to which they have con-
tributed the last few years, removed,
Mrs. Whipple expects no difficulty.
The Toyon branch is one of many
branches, who make up the 500
Alameda County Women who are de-
voting their time to the baby hospi-
tal.

High School Juniors Give Seniors Dance

At a class meeting last Friday, the
Juniors of W. U. H. S. decided to
give a dance for the Seniors. It has
become impossible to give dinners,
because the classes are too large
for everyone to be accommodated. The
dance is to take place at the Coun-
try Club in April. Committees for
music and decorations are to be ap-
pointed later.

Washingtonian Staff Chosen at School

This year's staff for the "Wash-
ingtonian," the High School Annual
was chosen last week. There are
13 staff positions, and they have
been filled. The staff has already
discussed the type of book they
wish to edit.

Welfare Board Will Meet on October 4

The regular meeting of the Child-
ren's Department of Southern Alame-
da County Welfare Board, will take
place Thursday, October 4, at 10
A. M. in the Board room in the Lib-
rary, at Niles.

Two Assistant Yell Leaders are Named

Claire Bettencourt and Melvin
Skow have been appointed assistant
yell leaders to Verne Silva at Wash-
ington Union High School. In a
short time, the new assistants will
be able to work together in leading
the grandstands.

Southern Pacific Agent at Decoto,
in place of P. L. Copeland, who has
been moved to Midway, Calif.

The Friendly Club will meet on
October 11, at the home of Mrs.
James Whipple, at ten in the morn-
ing.

Dr. H. E. Morrison has returned
after a three weeks' hunting and
fishing vacation in Shasta.

Mrs. Belle Abernathy, of Portland,
Oregon, formerly of Niles, arrived
Monday to visit former friends for
a month.

George Marks of Centerville has
just bought a new Nash 400 Stand-
ard six from Ed. Gage of Center-
ville. He received the car on Septem-
ber 21.

Mrs. Pete Callus, of Pittsburg, vis-
ited the J. L. Perry family for sev-
eral days this week.

J. L. Perry, his wife and Mrs. Cal-
lus, of Pittsburg went to Oakland on
a shopping tour last week end.

Mrs. A. Peacock has returned from
the Merritt Hospital in Oakland and
is convalescing at her home in Dec-
oto.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Drew of Sun-
nyvale entertained with an evening
at cards, Saturday night. Their
guests from Niles were Mr. and Mrs.
Lester Duffey, Mr. and Mrs. Ernest
Martin and Mr. and Mrs. Charles
Smith.

Mrs. C. E. Martenstein entertained
a dozen ladies at a bridge luncheon
last Tuesday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Blacow of
Centerville had as their dinner guest
last Wednesday evening, Mr. and
Mrs. Lester Luffey, and Mr. and Mrs.
Ernest Martin. All agreed that the
"venison roast" was the best ever.

Girl's Gymn Classes Organized in Teams

New interest has been added to
Physical Training Classes for Girls
as W. U. H. S. by organizing each
class into two teams. This will in-
sure fairness in giving every girl a
chance to play on the main team
which will later be organized by a
captain, elected by her class.

AUTO SUPPLY CO. MOVES TO LARGE HAYWARD SITE

The Hayward Auto Supply Com-
pany has just moved into greatly
enlarged quarters. The firm has
proved the wisdom of starting small,
and building as circumstances justi-
fy. A new stock and equipment have
also been installed, and the firm en-
deavors to make its services com-
plete in every detail.

Pleasanton P.T.A. Holds Meeting at School

Members of the Parent-Teachers
Association held a very enthusiastic
meeting last Wednesday afternoon
at the Pleasanton Grammar school.
It was decided to meet in the future
on the second Tuesday afternoon in
the school cafeteria. The associa-
tion is planning to have a reception
for the faculty sometime in October.
A vote of thanks was ordered ex-
tended to the school trustees for in-
stalling screens on the windows and
drinking fountains on the grounds.
The association has asked the teach-
ers to present helpful suggestions at
each month's meeting in order that
more work for the success of the
school might be accomplished. It
will also finish the curtains which
were started last year for the au-
ditorium and other rooms of the
school building. Plans for a play to
be presented by talent in the com-
munity were discussed. Mrs. J. B.
Lee was named chairman of the com-
mittee to arrange for same and she
will be assisted by Mrs. G. Noble
and A. L. Tripp of the faculty.

MORE ON Townsend Hope Held

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asked if he had any questions. He
had none.

The next witness to be called was
Ida Moise, also of Niles. She told
of having missed her five-year-old
son, and suspecting he had gone
swimming in the creek near Niles,
went after him. She found him
crying, with a dime in his hand.
"I didn't disobey, mother," he
said; "a man brought me down
here."

The little girl's mother, who lives
next door to Mrs. Moise, was also
there, and called to the child, who
was hidden in the underbrush. She
also called to the man, "You come
out of there."

A moment later she saw him
climbing the banks. She called out:
"I didn't take those kids there."

At this point Mrs. Moise was in-
terrupted by Deputy District Attor-
ney Charley Blackman, who estab-
lished that the man had not been
accused when he made his denial.

At this point Mrs. Moise testi-
mony left off, since she took no part
in the search and pursuit of the
man. However, she stated that there
was no one in the vicinity to her
knowledge, beside the two children
and another boy, about eight, Frank
Mello, of Niles.

She was followed by E. J. Dias,
traffic officer, of San Leandro. He
told how a telephone call from
Roses garage in Niles told the of-
fice that a man had raped a child,
and how he set out in pursuit. His
first interview was Mrs. Moise and
then met the child's mother near a
barn. She told him that she has
chased the man into the barn, but
feared to follow. He had eluded her,
but a search party followed him into
the "Jungle."

Here Blackman interrupted to
ask what the "Jungle" was and if
Dias had a description of the man.
Dias explained that jungle was a
term used locally, as well as else-
where for a hobo camping ground,
this particular one being near Niles.
He also told that he had been in-
formed of the color of the man's
pants, coat and hat. Also that he
was an elderly man.

There was enough underbrush to
make search difficult. A boy's shout
"there he is," drew Dias to the
place where a Ford was parked.
Hope was lying on the ground, and
the boy was holding him at the
point of a 22 calibre rifle.

Hope was taken back to town.

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Hayward, Calif. Prompt service,
good work, reasonable prices guaran-
teed. Give me a trial and you will
not regret it. S13p.

the stand, but refused to do so.
It was judged to have enough
evidence to make it possible to hold
him to answer on a felony. Bail was
set at \$3,000, and he was returned
to Alameda county jail.

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WED. & THURS., Oct. 3 and 4—Milton Sills in "BURNING DAY-LIGHT."

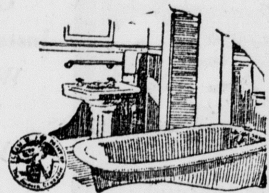
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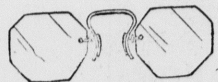
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"Little Tiajuana" Raid Crowds Calendar of Nile's Justice Court

Last week's raid on "Little Tiajuana" resulted in a crowded docket in Judge J. A. Silva's court in Niles. 7 men were tried on bootlegging charges, and two found guilty.

L. Hansen of Alvarado pled guilty to the possession of a pint of Jackass Brandy, on August 19. He claimed it was for his own use, and that he had not sold any. J. L. Davis was called as witness. He told of swearing out a search warrant; that there had been whiskey glasses in the sink, and the brandy.

The sentence was \$150 or one day in jail for every two dollars. The payment of the fine was deferred, until Hansen could get the money.

A. A. Rinero of Alvarado, who has been in jail since the 19th of August entered a plea of guilty, through his attorney Al Hardy, and will be tried next week.

The case of Manuel Costa, charged with possession was also postponed a week, since he is too ill to leave his bed.

Martin Medini, charged with possession, pled not guilty, and a jury trial was fixed for next week. His suit is to be consolidated with that of Antonio Quirez, who is his partner in the business they own at Alvarado.

John Gomez, charged with sale and possession, pled not guilty, and asked a jury trial. The date will be October 2.

Damaso Diaz, also of Alvarado, was charged with wine possession. He pled not guilty, and a jury trial was set for October 9.

In view of the fact that he was a property owner at Alvarado, and had brought the cash with him, Antonio Santos, through his attorney asked that the price of his bond be reduced to \$250 instead of the customary \$500. His motion was granted, and when he pled "Not Guilty" a jury trial was set for October 9.

Pleasanton Horses Win Many Fair Awards

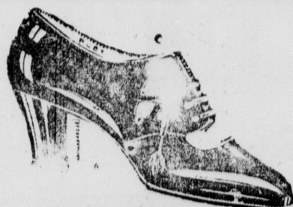
In addition to the thirty-four awards received by the Baldwin Ranch at the State Fair and the prizes won by pacers and trotters from this city and by high school horses, further honors were received by the community at the fair which lately closed. Henry P. Mohr, well known agriculturist and stock raiser of the Amador Valley, secured four first awards for his shire horses. The Meadowlark Dairy, the only certified dairy in this county, received 3rd prize for its Monterey cheese and grated cheese. The honors that came to this community testified to the interest of the people of this section in the fair this year.

Community Orchestra Meets Pleasanton

A new innovation at the Pleasanton High School is the Community Orchestra, which will hold its first meeting Thursday evening, from 7 to 9:30 at the school. Harry Phipps is in charge, and he expects at least 40 to turn out. There may also be a band, as well as an orchestra, depending on the wishes of the group.

HOLLYWOOD—Plans under way for construction of height-limit business building at corner of Sunset Boulevard and Vine street.

ing farmers, stock raisers and cattlemen, especially, to look into the bill which appears to be aimed directly at them.



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MEN'S CLUB DINNER SET FOR OCT. 9 AT NILES CHURCH

The Men's Club of the Congregational Church is planning a dinner at the Congregational Church on Tuesday, Oct. 9. It will start at 6:30. The speaker for the evening will be Lawrence C. Cross, of Berkeley. His topic will be, "Business is Business."

Harry L. Morton and Nate L. Vincent, known as the "Happy Chaplains," will entertain with several songs, according to Carl M. Christensen, secretary of the club.

The Ladies Guild will prepare and serve the dinner, according to Mrs. A. A. Hatch, president of the Guild and Chairman of the dinner committee. This was decided at the regular meeting Wednesday afternoon. Sixteen ladies were there, and Mrs. F. Hudson and Mrs. Plum were hostesses. They served sandwiches and iced tea, as a foretaste of the coming banquet.

The meeting was devoted to plans for the dinner, though the menu was not yet decided upon.

PLACE OF CHURCH IN COMMUNITY SHOWN IN SERMON

Last Sunday, the Reverend Mr. Seebart spoke on "The Place of the Church in the Community." He stressed the importance, and the integrity of the position of the church. The sermon was the opening of the annual education campaign. The sermon in full appears on another page of this issue of the Register. Next Sunday, he will let the campaign drop, and preach on the great Russian Christian, Tolstoy. Mr. Seebart's theme will be "Tolstoy's religion and its influence on the World." Possibly, the Sunday after, he will revert to the campaign in a talk on "Stewardship."

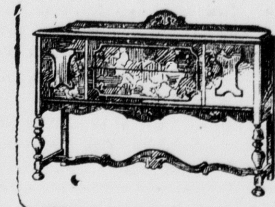
SAN JOSE WOMAN HURT; CAR LEAVES ROAD AND TURNS

Mrs. Lupe Gubarte and her mother, of San Jose, were quite seriously injured, when their car left the road and upset between Mission San Jose and Pleasanton.

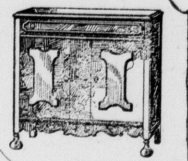
Their car was brought to the American garage, and Dr. Chas. Law administered first aid to the occupants. Mr. Gubarte called for his wife and mother-in-law that evening, and carried them back to their home in San Jose.

Dining Suite of 10 Handsome Pieces

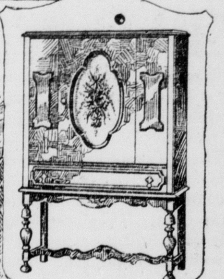
This is one of the newer and more popular period designs, and in this suite the furniture craftsmen who made it have developed the suite in a very interesting and beautiful blended walnut finish. The suite consists of sixty-inch buffet, handsome china cabinet, oblong extension table, five side chairs and one host chair. All chairs with beautiful tapestry seats. It is a remarkably good-looking suite and at the price is a most attractive value.



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Arm Chair. \$13.50
Chairs, each. \$ 9.50
Buffet \$49.50
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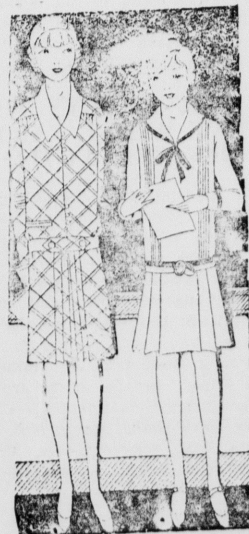
82-92 E. Santa Clara St, San Jose

Mr. and Mrs. John Samuel Santos, following their marriage here in the Catholic church, left for Canada doza, daughter of Mrs. Louise Cardoza, of Centerville. Santos is employed locally and the couple will reside there.

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Women's Coats and Woolen Sweaters Big Assortment at Real Savings

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FOR THE HOUSE

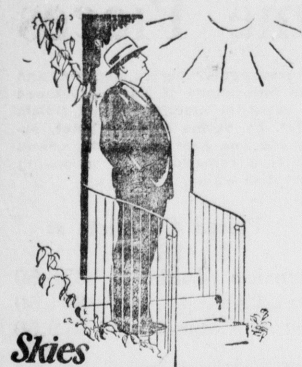
For the house. 50 pieces of Scrim from Wholesale House. Regular 45c and 85c. Selling here at—**25c and 35c** yard

If you want to fix over your house. DO IT NOW!

See Us Before Going Elsewhere. We Will Be Glad To Please You.

Oceanside — \$10,000 bond issue voted for construction of new reservoir and extension of water system.

The Register for better printing.



Skies are clear now but it's a good time to think about heating equipment

Was your home comfortable last winter? Did you have clean, efficient heating with no bother or trouble? The P G and E has a staff of men especially trained to advise you on what is good heating equipment. They recommend only gas heating equipment that is well made for long years of efficient and clean heating. This equipment gives you more comfortable heat for less money spent for fuel. Repairs to gas heating equipment are also made and guaranteed by the P G and E. Phone or call at our office for full details.

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Newark Department

By JULIA RUSCHIN

Mrs. William Robinson was hostess at an elaborate dinner party given at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Mueller, on Friday evening, to a number of former school girl friends, prior to her leaving for her home in Los Angeles. After a most sumptuous dinner the evening was spent in "talking over" high school days. Among those present were: The Misses Alma and Clari-belle Logan, Doyle Langdon, Helen Felletti, Adele Steinhoff, Julia Ruschin and Mrs. Robinson.

Miss Helen Viet, of San Francisco, spent the week-end with her sister, Miss Josephine Veit.

J. A. Johnson has returned from his trip to Boston, and has again resumed his position with the James Graham Manufacturing Company.

Harland Johnson has returned after a two weeks' vacation spent in the northern part of the state.

A shipment of thirty-seven new books was received by the Newark library, last Tuesday. Mrs. Mary Flaherty announced that the number consisted of fiction, non-fiction and juvenile volumes.

Miss Ruth Fuller, Chris Olsen, Miss Ellen Dusterberry and Jack Reusch spent Sunday at Big Basin.

WARM SPRINGS

By MRS. H. J. ALLARD

The S. P. R. & L, No. 84, held its monthly meeting, Thursday afternoon, September 20.

The Japanese residents here donated a children's slide and graphophone to the Warm Springs Grammar school Saturday, September 22. Invitations were given to all and tea was served at the Japanese camp on the Tajima ranch.

Mr. and Mrs. H. Allard entertained Mr. and Mrs. Dan Dwyer and children, of Los Gatos, over the week-end.

Mrs. A. Vargas has returned from Calistoga Springs ranch improved in health.

Alvina Vargas is building a new home and tamale parlor at the Warm Springs intersection.

Miss Florence Allard will be entertained at a luncheon and theater party given by Miss Ana Garven, of San Francisco, Wednesday evening.

COUNTY EXHIBIT WINS EXTRA PRIZE AT STATE FAIR

At the regular session of the board of supervisors of Alameda county held in Oakland Tuesday that body voted to send a letter of thanks to the officials of the Alameda County Development Commission for the splendid exhibit that was entered by the county for the state fair at Sacramento. The Alameda county exhibit won a special first prize for its excellence and was voted a special ribbon by the state fair directors. Charles W. Heyer, of Hayward, chairman of the board of supervisors, was among the many county leaders who viewed the exhibit and he is delighted that the county was extended a special award for the exhibit. Many local residents who attended the fair complimented the office of the development commission on the splendid showing made by the county this year. The exhibit committee of the development commission was headed by Paul Goldsmith, of Oakland, and A. R. Linn, of Alameda. Those in charge of the display included N. W. Armstrong, executive secretary of the commission; Edwin Stearns and John C. Hayes.

University of California Opens Agricultural Fund

In conformance with the request of donors to a scholarship fund honoring the late Professor E. J. Wickson, former Dean of the College of Agriculture, the Regents of the University of California have changed the fund to the Wickson Memorial Loan Fund, income from which will be available to needy agricultural students, particularly in the graduate school. The Wickson fund was started about two years ago by three or four friends of the late Dean. Announcements of their intention and invitations to join were sent to agriculturists throughout the state. A total of \$263.25 was contributed in a few months. In order to determine just what form this fund should assume, letters were sent to the donors recently, and 113 out of 137 voted to make it a loan fund rather than a scholarship or fellowship fund.

ALTAR SOCIETY TO GIVE WHIST PARTY NEWARK SCHOOL

On September 28, the Altar Society of St. Edward's church, Newark, will give a benefit whist party at the Newark school auditorium.

Many valuable prizes will be given for the highest scores, and refreshments will be served by the committee.

Among those who are taking an active part in the affair are Mrs. Tony Perry, chairman; Mrs. John Silva, Mrs. John Pope, Mrs. Geo. Costa, Mrs. Lenore Nunes, Mrs. M. D. Silva and Miss Rose Santos.

New Books Received At Newark Library

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Announcement of definite plans for the fifth annual high school essay contest to be conducted by the deputations committee of the University of California was made last week by letter to the principals of public high schools in the state accredited to the university. The contest will open September 24, and close October 22.

The title upon which entrants in the contest will be asked to write, was also announced by the chairman of the deputations committee, Fred A. Banducci, senior student from Arata, who himself was winner of the contest as a high school student in 1925. This title is "The Value of a University Education in the Training for Citizenship."

Prizes for the winning essays will, as in past years, consist as follows: First prize, a week's trip to the University at Berkeley, a reserved seat at the big game between Stanford and California on November 24, and an interview with President W. W. Campbell; second and third prizes will be appropriate mementos to be selected later. Those deserving honorable mention will be announced at the time prizes are awarded.

The contest is open to all regularly enrolled senior students in accredited public high schools. The essays must be typewritten on paper size 8½ inches by 11 inches. English teachers in the high schools are required to select the three best essays in the school and forward only those to the university. Selection of the winning essays rests in the hands of a committee of three university faculty judges. These themes must not be longer than 1000 words, nor less than 500 words.

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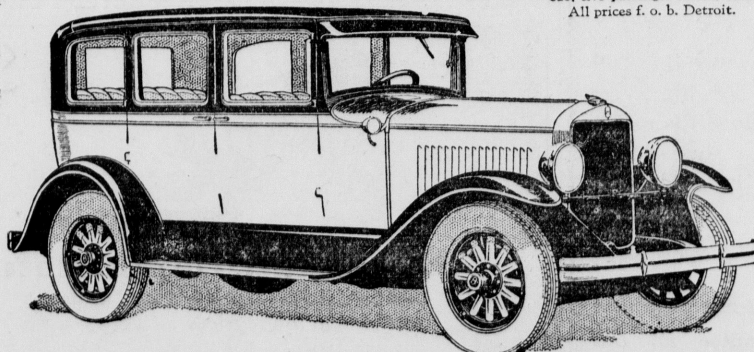
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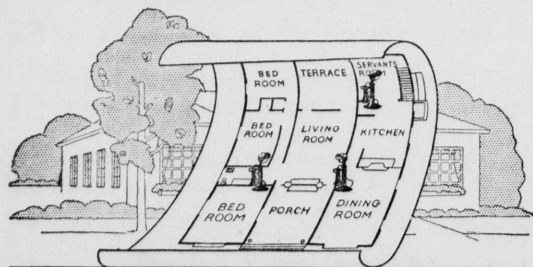
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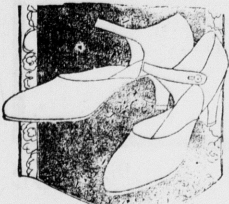
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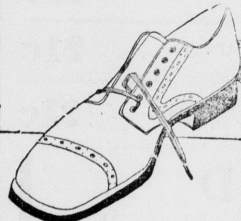
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MORE ON The Value of the Church

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commensurate with the stupendous advances in such fields as that of science, industry, etc.; He rightly says, that unless we can keep pace morally with our advancing civilization there is no hope for the survival of that civilization.

How are we going to meet this moral demand? Many educators and others are saying, "By moral education in the schools." But, personally, I do not believe that this offers an ultimate solution. I do not believe it will meet the enthusiastic expectations of its advocates. Why? Well, I will tell you why. Morality is an attitude, an attribute of life. It is something tacked onto, appended, annexed to life. What we need is a kind of life; a kind of life that can meet the rapidly increasing changes of civilization's complexities in such a manner that the individual and society will not be overpowered by them. No attribute of life can do this. Only life itself can meet life's problems. Now religion, true religion is LIFE and therefore I say, only religion can supply this all important need—this most important need. And what institution is going to supply this value. Well, the school is prohibited by law from so doing. The home is unwilling to do it and that leaves the task almost exclusively to the church.

To my way of thinking, the most valuable contribution which the church can render to the community is that of religious education—religious education that has nothing less for its goal than that abundant spiritual life of which Jesus spoke when he said, "I am come that ye may have life and more abundantly." (John 10:10).

It was this very value which the legislature of South Dakota was seeking when it passed the resolution, "Resolved, that the people of South Dakota be enjoined to at once address themselves to renewed effort to restore the balance between the spiritual and the material, that our children be reared up in the precepts of fundamental righteousness. That the churches and the Sabbath schools be constrained to intensify their work and to extend it to every child within their respective spheres."

I tell you, my friends, we have a great obligation laid upon us. In the hands of the church rests the destiny of our civilization. We have that one pearl of great price. We have that one great value to give to our community without which all else has become "as sounding brass and clanging cymbal." We dare not fail or history will say of us, "The church, which alone had the one saving value for this ancient civilization, was impotent and indolent, taking mint and anise but neglecting the weightier things of life"—hence failed in her mission and as a result this greatest civilization of history crumbled and decayed even as did that of the Egyptian, Greek and Roman.

If we do not want the future historian to write such a verdict we must stop playing at this great all important task of christian education and really make effective its saving value to the community in which we live.

The Spiritual Value of the Church To the Community

We have already touched upon the subject of the church's spiritual value to the community. How really essential it is, I am afraid we do

CENTERVILLE DEPARTMENT

EDITORS: Mrs. F. O. Bunting and Mrs. George Coit

The whist party given by Betsy Ross Parlor, N. D. G. W., in Parish Hall, was a decided success as has been each undertaking of this new but energetic parlor.

Miss Louise Schnoor, of Woodland, and Miss Lillian Frazier, of Texas, are visiting Mrs. Schnoor's mother, Mrs. Jean LaCombe.

Miss Ellen Dusterberry has joined the ranks of potential teachers at the San Jose State Teachers' College.

Mrs. F. T. Dusterberry and Mrs. W. L. McWhirters attended a luncheon at the home of Mrs. August May in Alvarado on Monday.

The Parent-Teachers' Association of the Centerville Grammar School will hold its regular meeting Thursday, October 4, at 2:30 p. m.

Andrew Asmussen, employed by Geo. A. Coit, met with a painful, but, fortunately not serious, accident when he fell from a fourteen-foot roof at the Gregory hotel and sustained injuries to his foot and leg.

Mrs. Mary Allen entertained Mrs. Lena Bartlett last week.

Mr. and Mrs. John S. Santos returned home Saturday. They received a hearty welcome from their many friends in the evening.

Mrs. B. Hawley has been quite ill and still is not as well as her friends would wish her.

not begin to realize. We are all aware of the fact that if we stop exercising any part of the body it grows weak and finally useless. This is true also of the soul, and "What shall it profit a man if he gain the whole world and lose his own soul." We must admit that the soul is the most valuable element of life. But how inconsistent that admission is with the treatment we accord it.

We don't forget to feed the body three or more times a day. We worry much about what we shall eat and what we shall wear. But the soul—oh the soul! Well, that goes for weeks and months and years without food and nurture. No wonder it is undernourished, anemic and unable to stand the strains and shocks of this modern whirling life!

We must certainly feed and nourish and clothe the soul if it is going to be in a fit condition to carry us through the trials and worries and cares of life. And it is just here that the spiritual value of the church to the community comes in. The church has as one of its distinctive functions the sponsoring and directing of services of worship in which the soul may be fed and satisfied. How important and essential that is one never knows until he has experienced the triumphs or defeats of life. But I urge upon you this morning the recognition of the indispensable value of the church to the community through its ability to keep alive and functioning that spark of life which alone makes life dynamic and worth the living.

What then is the value of the church to the community?

In conclusion and summary may I say, with a paraphrase to Christ's words to Peter, "Upon these" values—economic, social, educational, spiritual—"will I build my church, and the gates of hell shall not prevail against it."

Miss Jessie Beard, of New York City, spent a few days with Mrs. L. Sharwood. Miss Beard arrived in San Francisco on September 1, and will leave the latter part of the month. She spent much of her time in visiting old friends.

The Broken Drum has been leased to Mrs. Farrar, of Oakland.

Mrs. W. J. Attwood has been quite ill with a cold.

Mr. and Mrs. Fitzgerald and Mrs. M. Mathiesen returned from their trip on Friday. They went as far north as Astoria; circled Mt. Hood and viewed the beauties of Columbia highway. In Oregon they encountered rain much desired, owing to the forest fires.

The St. James festival passed off pleasantly. The day was beautiful. The tables were placed on the lawn under the trees, with yellow streamers over them. There were the fancy work tables; the candy, the flowers, the jellies and jams and the mystery. The dinner was served in Memorial Hall, and certainly all enjoyed it. Later there were ideal hams, baked beans and home-made cake for sale. The ladies hope to clear \$125.

Last Sunday the Rev. W. J. Attwood and the choir of St. James' church, Centerville, went to the Masonic Home, at Decoto, and, at 3:15 p. m. held a service for a goodly number of the inmates who assured them that the service was much appreciated and thoroughly enjoyed. Miss Margaret Moore, of Niles, and Mrs. Howard F. Chadbourn, of Centerville, sang solos.

The Rev. F. Gee, of St. Paul's church, Oakland, was present and announced a service for the fourth Sunday of next month when the

PERSONALS

Miss Patty Duffey spent the week-end in Oakland as guest of Miss Bernice Johnson.

Melvin Duffey is in Placer County, on a business trip.

Mr. and Mrs. Will Steele, of San Francisco, are visiting Mr. and Mrs. Robert Blacow, of Centerville.

Mr. and Mrs. Lester Duffey were week-end guests of Mr. and Mrs. Drew, of Sunnyvale.

Mrs. Ingram, of Gridley, has been visiting her grandmother, Mrs. Chittenden, in Niles.

Chas. Martin, Piano tuner, will be in Niles the week of October 1. Leave orders at Register or write 1906 Eighty-fourth avenue, Oakland. —S27p.

Lee Oliver, who is attending the University of California, visited his family last week-end.

William Crocker and his wife, of Berkeley, visited Dr. Adam's home Sunday.

Miss Laura Garcia has accepted an office position with the California Nursery.

Graham Adams and his wife, of San Francisco, visited his parents, Dr. and Mrs. Adams, Sunday.

The Alvarado Leslies defeated the Jefferson baseball club, of Oakland, September 16, by a score of 19-6, and thus won the three game series.

Mrs. Sarah Crane who was taken violently ill last Thursday evening, is recovering.

Rev. W. H. G. Battershill, of St. James church, Oakland, will be present, together with his choir. Dean Gee was the preacher last month and has made arrangements for an Episcopal service in the Masonic Home on the afternoon of the fourth Sunday in each month.

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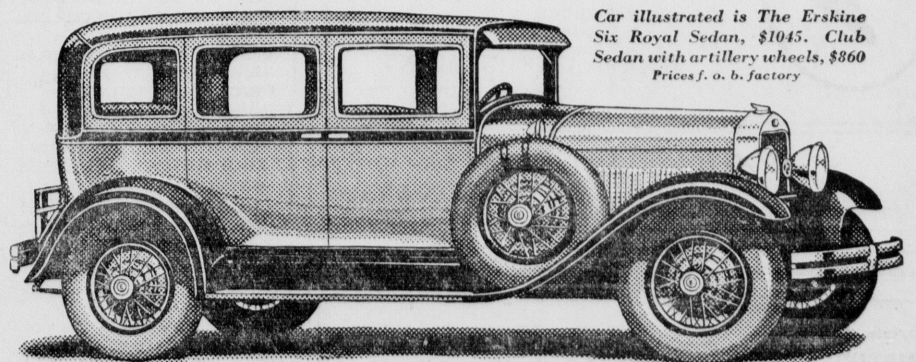
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FINE MONEY FROM TWO SPEEDERS PAYS BOARD FOR THIRD

Helen Durham, a school teacher from Los Gatos, but who lives at 2317 Mat Rae, Alameda, was fined \$5 yesterday at the Centerville court for passing a truck on the wrong side last Sunday.

It seems that there was a long procession of cars. Miss Durham told Judge Norris, that she stood it as long as she could, and then took a chance that she wouldn't be seen. She lost, and was fined.

W. H. Ruhl of 107 Ramona street, San Jose, was fined \$10 for speeding.

Pedro Perez of Centerville was sentenced to five days in the County jail, when he was unable to raise his fine of \$15 for speeding. He was convicted on September 11, and had been given several weeks to raise the money by Judge Norris.

Y. L. I. Whist Draws Out Big Attendance

The Y. L. I. Whist last Thursday night at the I. O. O. F. hall was a highly successful affair, judged by the turnout. There were 28 tables, all told. Representatives from Alameda, Centerville and Decoto, and other towns around helped to make it a big affair.

Two hands were played at each table, after which the winners progressed. At the end of 16 hands, the prize winners were decided on. There were half-a-dozen prizes contributed by local merchants.

After winners were announced, refreshments were served in the neighboring room. These consisted of sandwiches, cakes and coffee, which were served by the charming hostesses of the Y. L. I.

BOTH PARTIES IN FISTICUFF FIGHT ARE REPRIMANDED

Manuel Calders and Joe "Sparky" Lewis of Centerville had a disagreement the other day in Caldera's pool room. Caldera struck Lewis, but was seen by the constable. There was no ground for an assault suit, and Judge Allen Norris reprimanded both parties, and told them to be good children.

PLAN WHIST PARTY

The Niles Fire Department is planning a Benefit Whist to be given October 25, at the I. O. O. F. Hall, to defray expenses, according to L. E. Smith, president.

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NASH EXPANSION ASSISTS LOCAL DEALER IN SALES

Manufacturing facilities in the four great Wisconsin plants of the Nash Motors Company will be increased by \$2,000,000 in new buildings and equipment as a result of the overwhelming public demand for the new "400" Series cars, it was announced today.

This extensive expansion program, which will be pushed as rapidly as possible through the fall and winter, is designed not only to increase quality motor car production in the various Nash plants, but also more nearly to balance output in the four manufacturing divisions, according to company officials. The improvements are equally divided between the Special Six and Seaman Body Corporation plants in Milwaukee, the Standard Six plant in Racine, and the Advanced Six plant in Kenosha.

"Since the introduction of the Nash '400' Series models in June," said a local official, "all four manufacturing divisions have been operating at capacity in an endeavor to meet the flood of new car orders which has far exceeded all expectations. Night shifts have been employed, and the maximum production has been achieved from the famous Nash production lines, which were augmented last spring by an investment of approximately \$2,500,000 in new machinery, jigs and dies. This careful speeding up has increased Nash production by nearly thirty per cent and has set new high records week by week for Nash shipments; but it has still fallen far short of meeting the '400' demand in the United States and abroad.

"August was the biggest production month in the annals of the Nash Motors Company, and September, although affording less working time, is expected to equal the August daily record.

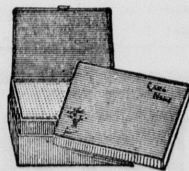
"With the completion of this expansion program, we will be in a position more nearly to meet our heavy sales demands and at the same time maintain the high standards of precision work which have been factors of vital importance in the success of the new cars.

E. D. George, of the Centerville Nash Company, is the Washington Township dealer for Nash cars. He reports sales increasing constantly. The latest purchaser of this popular car is George Marks, Centerville. He bought a "400" Standard Six.

Katherine Pratali of the "Traveler's Rest" stand in town, was arraigned before Judge J. A. Silva, at the Niles Court, and charged with the illicit possession of "Jackass" brandy. She pled guilty, and was fined \$150.

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Welfare Group Sets Card-Party Date

The date for the benefit card party to be given by the Child Welfare Group has been set for October 13.

The place will be the country club, according to Mrs. George Coit. The money raised will be used to equip the Tyson Home, which the club recently bought for a home for children.

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